LIVE WASHINGTON TOPICS.

THE PRESIDENT GIVES A RECEPTION TO THE DIPLOMATIC CURPS.

Brilliant Scene in the White Souse-senator Ingalis's Home in Kanaas De-stroyed by Fire-The Senicite Battle Fing Recolution Passed-The to fi ma-tion of the Cablust Officials Belayed,

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12 .- The President and Mrs. Cleveland gave a reception in honor of the Diplomatic Corps this evening. The floral porations throughout the State parlors were very beautiful, and the scene was made brighter and gayer by the music of the uni-formed Marine Band. The reception was from 9 to 11, and guests were prompt in early ar-rivals. The State and private dining rooms were used for cloak rooms, and the arrangements for the comfort and pleasure of guests were complete. The receiving party were on the clock" to enter the Blue Room, the President taking in Miss Bayard, and Secretary Endicott scorting Mrs. Cleveland. The Secretary of State was a late arrival from the dinner given by Senator Evarts to Joseph Chamberlain this Of course Mr. Chamberlain, with others of the dinner guests, also came to the White House among the later arrivals. Col. Wilson and Sevelion Brown of the State Department presented the guests. Minister Presn, as Dean of the diplomatic corps, in his brilliant new court uniform, was the first to greet the President. Mr. Cleveland was in good health and in the best of spirits. welcome was most kind, and with his usual cordial grasp of the hand. Mrs. Cleveland looked exceedingly well in a dark red plush gown, brightened by silver dark red plush gown, brightened by silver braid. Her ornaments were diamonds. Miss Bayard's gown was white satin, a simple and beautiful dress. Mrs. Fairchild's gown was of the palest blue brocade and her ornaments were diamonds. Mrs. Whitney wore white and silver brocade, a superb gown. There were many elegant tollets, and these, with the color given by the court and military uniforms, made a sheen of brightness with constantly changing hues. Some of the foreign guests were the Haytlen, Russian, Hawaiian, Spanish, Turkish, and Chinese Ministers, the Swedish Minister and wife, the Mexican and Chilian Ministers, with their wives, the British Minister's daughters, and the Minister inmedi after the Evarts dinner. Other guests were denator Sherman, Senator Farwell, Senator and Mrs. Butler, Senator and Mrs. Manderson and their guests, Judge and Mrs. Savage of Nebraska, General and Mrs. Sheridan. Mr. and Mrs. John W. Foster, Admiral Porter, Miss Vilas, Miss Endicott, Senator and Mrs. McPherson, Miss Medill, Senator and Mrs. Hearst, Senator and Mrs. Stockbridge, Capt. Shroeder, Mrs. Lamont, Miss Nelson, Miss Lockwood, Miss Storts, Miss Grant, Baron Zednitz, and Mr. Greger. It was not a crowded reception in the sense of a crush, but it was a decidedly pleasant one. The East Room was filled with gay-talking groupa, and the corridor afforded a delightful promenade through to the conservatory. braid. Her ornaments were diamonds. Miss

The President to-day transmitted to Conas a report from the Secretary of State in relation to the International Exhibition, which relation to the International Exhibition, which is to be held in Paris in 1889. The Secretary recommends that Congress be asked to enact a law authorizing the President to appoint a Commissioner-General to represent the United States in the proposed exhibition, and that \$490,000 be appropriated to be expended, or so much thereof as may be necessary, in defraying the necessary expenses of the proper installation of the exhibite of American citizens and the expenses of the Commissioner-General made under the direction of the Secretary of State. He also recommends the readmission, duty free, of all articles and merchandise sent for exhibition.

It is stated at the Department of Justice that the vacancy in the office of the United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, caused by the resignation of Assistant District Attorney Foster, will not be filled, at least for the present, but that the money saved by discontinuing that office will be added pro-rata to the salaries of the other assistants.

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in political literature, of pictures, wearing apparel, and priceless mementoes of the living and the dead. It is understood that nothing was saved. The house was in the hands of the carpenters, the Senator's family being with him in Washington, and all the personal effects were packed into boxes and cases during the progress of the improvements. It is assumed that the fire was the result of some carelessness on the part of the workmen. The structure was inadequately insured, and the Senator's loss is estimated at \$20,000 over and above the insurance, which sum represents the bulk of his accumulations.

The bill providing for the issue of circulating notes to national banks was called up in the House to-day by Mr. Wilkins of Ohlo under instructions of the Committee on Banking and Currency. Mr. Weaver of Iowa and Mr. Blount of Missouri raised points of order against the present consideration of the bill, which were overruled by the Speaker. Mr. Wilkins said that under the bill the national banks, if they saw fit, might increase their circulation to the extent of 10 per cent. There was in the Treasury as security for a circulation of \$167,000,000. United States bonds to the amount of \$169,000,000. If this bill should become a law the circulation of national banks would be increased in round numbers \$21,000,000. Mr. Wilkins offered to yield the floor to any member who desired to discuss the bill, but its opponents demanded recognition in their own right. Mr. Wilkins, as a compromise, offered to allow the debate to continue throughout the day, provided that the previous question on the third reading of the bill. On division, the roll was 113 to 59 in favor of sustaining the demand, and the yeas and navs were ordered. Then the opponents of the bill resorted to filibustering tactics, which consumed the remainder of the morning hour, and the bill went over. House to-day by Mr. Wilkins of Ohio under in-

The Boutelle battle flag resolution was reported unanimously in the House to-day as amended by the Committee on Military Affairs. which amendment extends the scope of the inwhich amendment extends the scope of the in-quiry so as to obtain information as to the re-turn of flags to Northern States. Mr. Boutelle said he had no objection to the amendment, although he did not think it had any bearing on the purpose of the original resolution. Mr. Cox of New York said he rejoiced at the unan-inity with which the committee reported the resolution. The country, he said, was to be congratulated upon the fact that this resolu-tion, which concerned a matter which had touched the public sensibility so greatly, could be reported unanimously, and even receive the approbation of the gentieman from Maine (Mr. Boutelle). The resolution was adopted.

The Senate bill fixing the salary of the Commissioner of Fish and Fisheries at \$5,000 per annum was passed in the House to-day withannum was passed in the House to-day without a division. Mr. Cox of New York, in advocating the bill, after speaking of the importance of fostering the fish industry, said that the object of the Commission was to send out a wonderful seed in order that a food harvest might come of it; and if this work were properly carried on the time might not be far off when an aere of water would produce as rich a harvest for the use of man as an aere of ground. He was convinced that the President would select a suitable man as Commissioner. The President was an expert fisherman himself and would choose the right kind of man. He did not care whether the President selected a Republican or Democrat to carry out the beneficial purposes of the Commission.

The Secretary of War has transmitted to the House a report from the Chief of Engineers upon the preliminary examination of Spring Greek, which flows from the vicinity of East
New York and the Twenty-eighth ward of
Brooklyn into Jamaica Bay. The reports says
that, while it is doubtless very destrable on
secount of local interests that this waterway
should be opened up, it is the duty of the city
and the country concerned, rather than that of
the general Government, to do the work. The
Chief of Engineers therefore reports that he
does not consider the creek worthy of improvement by the general Government.

The House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds to-day awarded the restaurant privileges of the House to Mr. Samuel Donel-son of Tennesses, who for the past two years held the office of Doorkeeper. There was quite a contest for the place, a large number of ap-plications having been filed.

Delegate Dubois of Idaho has a chance to make a national reputation. He got a despatch from the newly-appointed Postmaster in his home town, telling him that the old Postmaster. in spite of the fact that his successor was armed with his commission, and thus clothed armed with his commission, and thus clothed with the majesty of the department, refused to abdicate his office. The place is Blackfoot, and the population is, like the populations of many Idaho towns, imbued with an admiration for pugilism. Delegate Dubois has a local reputation as a handy amateur boxer, besides being a hustler, and the tone of the telegrom from the newly appointed Postmaster clearly shows that the people of Blackfoot are looking forward to a daring act of ejectment. If the delegate cannot secure any measures from the department which will cause the speedy oxpulsion of the persistent holder of the fort, he will try to accomplish the set in person. Two young Yale Congressmen were near at hand when Dubois got the telegram, and the suggestion that he make a trip across the continent and settle the contest with the fist was received with applause. It was urged that in the temporary absence of Mr. Sullivan of Beston from this country, it would be recognized everywhere as a bold demonstration of the ambidexterity of Yale men in politics.

The plaster bust of an Indian chieftan in

The plaster bust of an Indian chieftan in Senator Dawes's committee room was photographed to-day for a new man. An operator with a camera plunged mysteriously in and out of the corridor several times, announced finally that he came from Mr. Clark, the architect, and that the chieftain in question was Red Jacket. This marks a retrent to semi-ancient history. The bust for a year figured as Sitting Bull, by one of the tribe. For a few weeks it was Big Horse, and lately has figured as White Cloud. But with the bust once photographed and labelled, the Dawes corner of the basement will have new visitors, but the keeper at the door will be prevented any further, by changing the name of the curiosity at will, to scatter the impression that he has a whole catacomb of buried chieftains' likenesses as adoraments of the chamber. with a camera plunged mysteriously in and

Arcadia has been found, or, at least, a chunk of the United States which seems greatly to resemble Arcadia. Eugene Semple is the discoverer. a sort of St. Patrick in his way, apparently. Gov. Semple has been writing about his domain to the Secretary of the Interior. The prospect he spreads before the emigrants from the East is alluring. "Lightning is very rare in western Washington. The says, "and is generally much talked about when it occurs. There are no poisonous insects nor reptiles here, and no pests, such as grasshoppers or beetles, have yet invaded the fields. Cyclones are wholly unknown on both sides of the mountains." He adds, however, further on that the servant girl gets from \$15 to \$25 a month. He finds farmers boeing on 53,000 broad acres, largely in eastern Washington. The hop springs up most luxuriantly, until it is worth nearly a million and a half to the Territory every year. This has all come up since \$185,000 in six counties—King, Pierce, Kittias, Lewis, Thurston, and Whatcom. He has great faith in the future of the iroa mines of the Territory, and predicts that inside of a year extensive factories will have been begun. He eites the Iron Mountain near the Snoqualmie Pass, with a vein of magnetic ore varying from 6 to 150 feet in thickness, as a sample. His flouring mills, that are run only 260 days a year, grind out 347 barrels. Game, big and small, is plentiful. Indeed, the Governor has hardly said that immigration is rather slow before he branches on this array of facts as a reason why people should stay away no longer. in western Washington." he says, "and is gen-

Senator Manderson to-day reported favorably from the Committee on Military Affairs his bill to increase the efficiency of the infantry prince to increase the emciency of the infantry branch of the army. The number of companies in each regiment is increased from ten to twelve, and there are to be three Majors in each regiment instead of one, as at present. All appointments created by the act above the grade of Second Lieutenant are to be filled by seniority in the infantry branch of the service, and one-half of the vacancies remaining in the grade of Second Lieutenant after the military academy graduates are provided for are to be filled by promotion from the ranks. The number of enlisted men is increased by 2,500.

The bill reported in the House yesterday from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, relating to permissible marks, printing or writ-

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The House Labor Committee will make an effort to have a day set apart by the House for the consideration of bills reported by the committee. At the first meeting this morning the bills extending the provisions of the eight-hour law to letter carriers, and making provision for the payment of Government employees for all overtime since the passage of the eight-hour law were referred to sub-committees.

Senator Ingalls this morning received a despatch from Atchison, Kansas, saying that his residence there had been totally destroyed by firs. The structure was begun by him twenty years ago, and by successive improvements and additions had become one of the largest in the State. It was in more than the ordinary sense the residence of the Senator and his family. His library was one of the largest in the State. It was in more than the ordinary sense the residence of the Senator and his family. His library was one of the largest west of the Mississippi River, and was especially rich in political literature, of pictures, wearing apparel, and priceless mementoes of the living and the dead. It is understood that nothing and the word "from," and may mrite on the major of the large of the word "from," or may print decays the word "from," or may print address of the person to whom the matter, provides as follows:

On matter of the second dasa besides the name and address of the publication and the pictures we subscription book; the title of the publication of the subscription book; the title of the publication and provision for the provision for the publication and marks to call attention to specification and the subscription due the publication and the subscription of the publication than the name piblica of the publication and the subscription of the publication and the subscription of the publication and the

Secretary Fairchild to-day sent to the House, correspondence addressed to the Treasury De partment relating to revision of the tariff. W. partment relating to revision of the tariff. W. H. Emerson of Boston wrote in regard to the reduction of the duty on sugar, and recommended the free admission of molasses now dutiable at four cents per gallon. Frederick S. Robinson & Co. of New York recommended the free admission of oranges and lemons, or a reduction in the duty and imposition of uniform specific rates thereon and on limes, and the abolition of damage allowance on these articles. William Fickhardt of New York recommended the free admission of various dyestuffs, colors, extracts, and other articles entering as raw materials into important domestic manufactures, and the removal of the internal revenue tax from alcohol used in the industrial arts.

The President to-day nominated Gen. Edward 8. Bragg of Wisconsin to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States to Mexico.

The executive session of the Senate this afternoon was a very short one. It was ex-pected that the nominations of Messrs. Vilas and Dickinson, and possibly that of Mr. Lamar, would be acted upon. Senator Edmunds, however, was not ready to have the latter nominaever, was not ready to have the latter nominition considered. He did not think that public
sentiment had sufficiently orystallized with regard to it. Mr. Riddleberger made his second
little sneech of the day, and in vigorous
terms he denied as unfair the delay in
acting upon the nomination of Mr. Lamar, and
ropeaced his intention of voting to confirm it.
The Republican Senators were ready to have
the nominations of Messrs, Vilus and Dickinson confirmed to-day, and one or two of them
were particularly anxious on the subject. It is
understood that some days ago a Republican
Senator introduced a resolution providing that
the nominations of Vilas and Dickinson be
separated from that of Mr. Lamar, and
the latter considered on its merits regardless of outside circumstances. When
Mr. Lamar resigned there seemed to be no necassity for this resolution. There was some
'aik in the executive session to-day of calling
tup for action, but this was not done, as it was
inady arranged that the nomination of Mr.
Lamar should be disposed of on Monday,
Nothing was said about the nominations of
Vilas and Dickinson, but it is probable that
they will be confirmed on Monday also.

Congressman Frank Rockwell of Massachution considered. He did not think that public

Congressman Frank Bockwell of Massachusetts put a proposition for a couple of \$40,000 before the House to-day. The resolution asks the architect of the Capitol to get doors like those in the other wing. These were made in Chicopee, Mass, by the Ames Company. The corporation still has the tools with which the other doors were made in its possession, and probably would not object to undertaking an-other such contract.

The sons of Attorney-General Garland and Senator Jones of Arkansas deny that there is any truth whatever in the published statement that they recently engaged in a slugging match. Mr. Garland has two sons in the city. One is a clerk in the office of the Clerk of the House. He is married and has two children. The younger son is a law student and a recent graduate of Georgatown College. He is temporarily a clerk in the Supreme Court. He is the one who, it is alleged, fought with young Jones. He denied the story to-day, and said that he and Mr. Jones were good friends, and that no sort of disagreement ever existed between them. He had often practiced boxing with gloves for amusement, but never fought in earnest. Senator Jones's son is also a student, and he denied the report of the tight, and also that there exists any unfriendly feeling between him and Garland. that they recently engaged in a slugging

Royal Baking Powder, Absolutely Pure. For twenty-five years the standard....den Boware of a slight irritation of the throat. Brummell's SAMPLE WORLD SWINDLE

An Oteomargarine Interview with Mis-Campbell, and the Genute Article. Miss Clara Campbell, the plaintiff in the

"I want you, in the free place," she said, with a charming smile, "to promise me that, from first to last in the interview you write you will not once call me 'Bunnie.' I think I have earned the write to be emancipated from that. It has not been easy, I assure you, and nothing but stern necessity could have induced me to begin, or, having begun, to prosecute this said. Indeed, had I known what it meant, the weary hours of hope delayed, the tedious processes of their as-if had shown it at this beginning, I don't think I should have begun. It at this beginning, I don't think I should have begun. It at this beginning, I don't think I should have begun. It all this beginning, I don't think I should have begun. I have gone through."

The reporter suggested that it was not yet all over; that there were yet years, perhaps, of littyation before her, but Miss Campbell replied quietly.

"You are mistaken. For me the battle is over and the victory is won. Do you think," and Miss Campbell rose from her chair and faced the reporter. 'that I care for the money? It was not that: It was the vertilet of those twelve men awarding an amount so large that it was on their part a acclerate both the order that was on their part a acclerate both to the order the hearing propriety, and I am told by my counsel." said Miss Campbell, again resuming her seat, "that some of the jury have told him that they docused the advisability of appending to their verdict the explicit statement that not one of the charges allered against me in the detendant's answer had been proven, but they thought this would be an unusual thing to do, and so they did not do it. It is not necessary: I am saitained with their verdict, fortiled as it is by the allowance from the Judice which is, as I think, an expression of opinion on the part of that kind looking on the missing and one of the jury of disapproduction; and take much better thank to come to the first would have been virtually a rebuke to me; an expression on the part of the jury of disapproduction; and th

ten years older during the last three and a baif years, since this suit, was beguin? Did you ever have a law-suit?"

The reporter repiled in the negative,
"Never have one if you can avoid it," said Miss Campbell as she bade the reporter good by, "for it will make an old man of you before you know it."

This "fake" explains itself, and explains, too, the character of the rubbish that is sold by the World as genuine goods to its swindled readers. Mr. Edward Jordan, Miss Campbell's business lawyer, said yesterday.

"Miss Campbell has spoken personally to no reporter whatever. I was annoyed at the 'interview' in the World, and asked her this morning if she had granted any interview to warrant it. She said she had spoken to no reporters, and had given nothing to the press except the bare expression of opinion that was given to all alike."

From the Evening Sun. The following was printed in the World of The following was printed in the World of Inst evening:
"Chestmus." exclaimed Mayor Hewitt to day when he was asked by an Evening World reporter about the vacancies in the Park, Tax, and Fire Departments. That was all his Honor said, and the interview was cut short. He afterward said to Clerk Berry: "Have a card with the worl 'Chestnut' printed on it, as I wish to keep it in my desk."

The lines of judicial severity in his Honor's face deep nead this morning as he emphatically denied the story printed above.

"I saw no World reporter, and said to no one what is contained in this article. It is wholly false."

WANTED PULITZER ARRESTED.

Commissioner Stephenson Has Begun Crim inal Proceedings for Libel.

Emigration Commissioner Stephenson sked Justice White, in the Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday for a warrant for the arrest of Joseph Pulitzer and Col. John A. Cockerill of the World for criminal libel. A summons, requiring Pulitzer and Col. Cockerill to appear at 3 o'clock on next Monday and answer to the charge, was issued instead.

The alleged libel was contained in a two column story that was printed in the World on Aug. 23 last. It charges the Board of Emigration Commissioners with unlawfully detaining and imprisoning emigrants; with abusing and insulting helpless women and children; with plundering them, and with conniving at and shielding employees of the Board in iccherous practices. It charges Mr. Stephenson personally with insisting that all the moneys of the Board should be deposited in the Home Bank, of which Mr. Stephenson is President; and that he "fosterad and favored" certain railroads which deposited their funds in this bank to the detriment of the immigrants, who were charged by them exorbitant tares. It also accuses the Board of charging the immigrants exorbitant rates for food and drink. It specifically charges Mr. Stephenson with shielding an employee who was accused of assaulting an immigrant woman named Ingiord Jonson, and of cruelly treating this woman himself. column story that was printed in the World on

La Blanche and Dempsey. George La Blanche, the Marine, who gave George La Blanche, the Marine, who gave Jack Dempsey such a hard battle at Larchmont on the Sound two years ago, is trying to get on again with the middle weight champion. La Blanche has received a letter from David Blanchard of Boston, offering a \$1.000 purse. \$200 to the winner and \$500 to the lower, for a twelve or fifteen round battle, with three-cune gloves, between Hempsey and La Blanche, the fair play rules of bosing souther up by Mr. Blanchard. The Marine has signified his acceptance of the offer, and says if the \$700 to \$500 clause is not satisfactory to Dempsey he will ught him winner to take all.

National Skating Association. The National Skating Association will hold its third annual amateur championship meeting on Jan.
23, 24, and 24, weather permitting. The programme will include racing and fancy figure skains; and the consciss will take place afternoon and evening each day at Fleetwood Fark, and on Van Cortland: and Greenwood Lekes. If it is impossible to find its, the programme will be postponed from day to day until there is good ice.

Base Ball News. CLEVELAND, Jan. 12.-Ed Seward, the fine young pitcher of the Athletics, returned from Hot Springs Ark, Dec. 29, and paid his fees at the Cleve-land Gymnasum, preparatory te work. The next day he took to bed with an attack of typhoid majaria, and has just been pronounced out of danger by his physi-cians. He is greatly reduced.

In High Favor. As one and all are well aware. Allcock's Porous Plasters share Alone high favor everywhere.—Ade.

Tebegganing Pole Grounds Six slides in perfect condition. Admission, 25c. To-grains to let on grounds. Afternoon session, 2 to 5 look; evening 7 to 10:20.—46s. Polo To-night,

Grand championship game. Newarks vs. New Yorks Sultser's Bink, 197th st. and 2d av., at 8:80,—46.

A NEW BOOKMAKERS' CLUB.

IMPORTANT MEETING OF THE BET-

A NEW BOOKMAKES CLUB.

A Cleambrain Interview with Miles Cambell, and the General Articles. The Company of the

NEW YORK DEFEATED AT POLO.

Clever Work with the Stick and Ball, in which the Jersey City Team Score a Victory.

Something like 1,500 spectators yelled for ver an hour last night at the Pavonia Rink, Jersey City, at the fine way in which the Jersey City polo team defeated the New York team by four goals to nothing. The New Yorks were without the services of two of their best men, but this only served to make the teams more evenly matched. Both teams played for all the game was worth from the start. It took twenty-four minutes for the home team to ergo the ball the first time, and the spectators made the rafters tremble with one great yell. After this the home team won with comparative ease, Edmonds made some wonderful stops for the visitors, while Conway did well for the home team. The score: Jorsey City, at the fine way in which the Jersey

God. Ruth. Won by M.N. Ca.

I. Reagan. Jersey City. 24:00 Wo.

I. Rengan. Jersey City. 25:00 Wo.

I. Rengan. Jersey City. 5:15 Rea.

I. Rengan. New York. 5:15 Wa.

I. Roagan. Jersey City. 3:21 Wa.

I. Roagan. Jersey City. 0:06 Wo.

I. Reagan. Jersey City. 0:08 Wo.

I. Reagan. Time expired.

Stops in Goal—Jersey City. 20: New York. 30.

Fouls—Jersey City. 10: New York. 2.

Goals forfeited on fouls—Jersey City. 1.

Corrected score—Jersey City. 4: New York. 1.

Referee—W. H. Googdins. Faced by Woolke. Woolke. Reagan. Walton. Woolke. Woolke. Goal

The Newark and New York teams play at the Harlem

Guttenburg Baces.

At the Guttenburg track yesterday the races 1:24, Comus second, Roysterer third. Mutuals paid

1.24. Comma second, Roysterer third. Mutuals paid \$2.50. Second Race. Three quarters of a mile. Velret won, True Born second, Grand Duke third. Time, 1.23. Mutuals paid \$3.50. place. \$3.45. True Born paid \$3.50. Third Race.—Three-quarters of a mile. John Alexander won. Britishnet second, Bob May third. Time, 1.234. Mutuals paid \$4.50. place. \$4.90. But Hambert Second. For the Race.—Fire furious. Ben Thompson won. Battledore second, John Firm third. Time, 1.53. Mutuals paid \$4.50. place. \$2.00. Buttledore paid \$2.50. Mutuals paid \$4.50. place. \$1.00. Buttledore paid \$2.50. Place won, Henry II. Second, Petersburg third. Time, 1.584. Mutuals paid \$2.50. place. \$13.80. Henry B. paid \$3.20. an advance of % ? cent. It was rumored toward the close that the strike had been set tled. The indications are that the first result and the delegation from the mining regions will be a decided effort on the part of local in-terests to induce the miners to resume Sule of Trotting Stock. to have absorbed the comparatively heavy sales of the last two days, and the further sales

CLEVELAND, Jan. 12.-J. W. Voglesong of CLEVELAND, Jan. 12.—J. W. Voglesong of Elyria has just bought these trotters and pacers with records of J. Anson of Toledo: Roan mare Toledo (firl. 2.15, by Mohawk, Jr., dain by Trenton Chief, price \$5.500; however, gedding Lucien W. 2.29%, by Vice 1.500; however, roan pacing geiding Little Tony, 2.20%, by Blackbird, price \$1.60; ...d. W. Voglesong of Elyza has a chance to sell hearth norse deplucing the page 1.00; by Blackbird, price \$1.60; ...d. W. Voglesong of Elyza years, by Sillison, 2.22%, to Who offered \$50,000; for Belle, Harning or the thems who offered \$50,000; for Belle, Harning a week age, Voglesong's price was \$10,000; which Haight regards as high, but the sale may yet be made.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

New York Stock Exchange-Sales Jan. 13. EXITED STATES AND STATE BONDS (IN \$1,00 Mg

bill authorizing banks to take out circulation up to the par value of the bonds deposited to secure the same was regarded as possibly indicative of the fate of other and more important financial measures. On the other hand, conservative predictions that a Postal Telegraph bill has a poor chance this session were received with satisfaction by the friends of Western Union. The Oregon stocks were a frature of the market in a small way. The amicable relations which the Ontario and Western Company has established with the trunk lines were utilized to market a little of that stock; hence it was more active than usual, and of course lower. There was fresh weakness in Kansas and Texas securities, which naturally revived the old reports of an effort on Mr. Gould's part to drive a hard bargain with the bondholders.

In the Unlisted Department there was a U. S. 414a, r. 10a 14b U. S. 6a, 1805, 120 — U. S. 45a, c. 16a 14b U. S. 6a, 1805, 122 — U. S. 46, r. 1225 4 125b U. S. 6a, 1807, 124 — U. S. 46, r. 1225 4 125b U. S. 6a, 1807, 124 — U. S. 46, r. 1225 4 125b U. S. 6a, 1808, 124 — U. S. 6a, 1809, 124 — U. S. 6a, 1809, 124 FAILBOAD AND OTHER BONDS (IN \$1,000s). an effort on Mr. Gould's part to drive a hard bargain with the bondholders.

In the Unlisted Department there was a revival of speculation in Cotton Oil Trusts at an advance from 31½ to 32½ closing at 32½ against 31½ yesterday. Georgia Pacilio lists sold at 106, Chicago Gas Trusts at 37½. Western National Bank at 98, and Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal at 10½ to 12½. The closing was strong though quiet.

Government bonds strong and active. The currency 6s closed 1 2 cent. higher bid. Railway bonds fairly active, but irregular. The noteworthy net changes were: Advanced—Atlantic and Pacific lists, 3 2 cent. to 82; Denver and Rito Grande consols, 4s, 5, to 77%; Detroit, Mackinaw and Marquetteland grants, 1%, to 40; Elizabeth, Lexington and Big Sandy lists, 3, to 100½; New York Chicago and St. Louis 4s, 4, to 87%; Oregon Improvement lists, 5, to 96; St. Louis, Arkansas and Texas lists, 5, to 102½, and 2ds, 2½, to 47, and Wabash Pacific, Chicago, Burlington and Quincy 4s, n ex. 5 2 cent. to 95½; kansas and Texas consols, 7s, 5, to 1055; New Orleans and Pacific lists, 1, to 89; St. Paul, C and M. River 5s, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas Pacific, Rio Grande division, lists, 5, to 97, and Texas

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Sterling exchange quiet and steady. The market for long bills was \$4.84%@\$4.84%, and for demand \$4.86%@\$\$4.86%. In bank stocks, 10 shares of Leather Manu-facturers Bank sold at 200. The net earnings of the Oregon Improvement Company for November were \$110.465, an increase of \$50.685 as compared with 1886. For the fiscal year ending Nov. 30 the net carnings were \$1.144.144 an increase over the previous year of \$404.375. | Ken. Cen. 1st. | 75 | 10 | Sex. Pac. con. 6s | 65 |
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The activity and advance in St. Louis, Arkansas and Texas first mortgage bonds the last few days has been due chiefly to buying upon foreign orders. One reason for the despand from abroad was made public to-day. It is that the syndicate which took last summer the \$4.000.000 of these bonds that were issued to build a number of branch lines disposed of the last of its holdings to-day in Berlin. The Ger-

Money on call, 3@4 F cent.

man bankers who took the bonds will at once secure for them a quotation at the Berlin Stock Exchange.

Total sales of railway bonds (par value), \$1,515,000.

The total sales of stocks were 148,148 shares.

PHILADELPHIA CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

THURSDAY, Jan. 12.

animated, and at advancing prices

Naturally the interest centred in Reading.

and it proved to be the most active stock. It

also scored the only not change worth noting

of yesterday's conference between Mr. Corbin

work. In St. Paul the market appeared

for short account were well taken. As was the case yesterday, outside of these two stocks the

dealings were unimportant.

Beyond question the large amount of capital.

both abroad and here, seeking investment

furnishes a powerful support to the market,

As yet the foreign buying is confined almost

entirely to bonds. In the bond market the demand has stimulated dealings in the more

speculative issues, and it is perfectly reasons-

ble to presume that it is only a question of

time when the slow but natural movement ex-

tends to the stock market. Washington ad-

vices to-day were both good and bad. The re-luctance of the House to act promptly upon the

bill authorizing banks to take out circulation

secure for them a quotation at the Berlin Stock Exchange.

Mesars. Peter Wyckoff. George A. Evans, and ex-Judge Granville P. Hawes were to-day elected directors of the American Loan and Trust Company, taking the places of Mesars. George H. Potts. Frederick A. Potts. and F. C. Hollins, who resigned on Dec. 31, after having sold their company taking the places of Mesars. George H. Potts. Frederick A. Potts. and F. C. Hollins, who resigned on Dec. 31, after having sold their company taking and holdings of the company's stock to President Rowland N. Hazard and his friends. Of the new directors Mr. Wyckoff is a Brooklyn capitalist and a large stockholder in and a director of the First National Bank of Brooklyn. Mr. Evans is the managing director of the Bethlehem Iron Company. Something of an effort was made to-day to misconstrue these changes and magnify them into a sensation. The facts are that Mesars. Potts and Hollins were not in accord with the majority of their associates in the management, and the alternative of buying the control of the stock or selling what they had being presented, they sold. The company, together with a large number of similar institutions, had a ticket in the Grovesteen and Pell flasco, but it was not for a large amount. The State Banking Department has just completed an examination of the company and credits it with a surplus of \$65,000. Mr. James D. Thurston, the Treasurer of the company, was elected Secretary to-day and will discharge the duties of both offices.

of both offices.

A despatch from Baltimore says: "A special meeting of the stockholders of the Baltimore and Ohio Baltimore says: "A special meeting of the stockholders of the Baltimore and Ohio Baltimore and the proposition to issue \$5,000,000 third preferred 6 % cent. stock to the syndicate, which, if accomplished, will give that body control of the road, as it is said it controls the Garrett and Johns Horkins University interests. After waiting until 1 P. M. only 67,930 shares of stock were represented, while \$9,284 shares are necessary for a quorum to do business, and the meeting adjourned. There will be another meeting tomorrow. Under the charter of the company, if a quorum fails for three days the whole matter fails to the ground. It is perfectly well understood that the failure to secure a quorum today is the result of a concerted elfort on the part of the minority interest in the company to break or render void, so far as any obligation rests upon the railroad, the contract with the syndicate which saved the company from the hands of a receiver last summer. This may seem a very smart proceeding to those who are engaged in it, but to every one else it appears to be an attempt to commit the Baltimore and Ohio Company to a policy of gross dishonesty."

A syndicate headed by the Seligmans of this city and the Berlin Handels-Gesellschaft have entered into negotiations for funding the South Pacific Baliroad Company bonds due next July into St. Louis and San Francisco general mortages bonds.

Balances in the Treasury are:

Jan. 12. \$208,480,000 15,979,058

Monoy in London. 1½ to 2 % cont. The Bank of England has reduced its rate of discount from 4 % cent. to 3½ % cent. The bullion in the bank has increased £245,000 during the past week. Paris advices quote 3 % cents at \$1.02\cdots\$. The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows a decrease of £475,000 francs in gold and 5.450,000 francs in silver.

Fow fire insurance companies in this city make so complete and satisfactory a statement as that of the German-American Insurance Company, which is printed in another column of THE SUN. The total assets now amount to \$5.286,248, the net surplus #\$2.112.137, and the reinsurance reserve \$1.900.373. A noteworthy feature of the report is the explicit statement of the character of the assets of the company. They consist entirely of securities of the best description, including \$2.170.000 par

company. They consist entirely of securities of the best description, including \$2,170,000 par value of Government bonds.

New York Markets.

THURSDAT, Jan. 12.—FLOUR AND MEAL—The market was very dull and values were not fully main tained, but nominal quotations were much the same. Corrox—Futures opened depressed. Liverpool made a stronger report, but did not improve so much as the bulls expected, and Manchaster was dull. Besides the cop movement continues very continued as the copy movement of continues very continued to the copy movement of continues very copy of the copy movement of the copy of Aliantic & Gt. W. 1st. 3814 Mexican Central. 1414
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Kansas & Texas. 1814 Unco Pacific. 5014
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January, 10.28c, May. 10.03c, September, 10.40c February, 10.37c, June. 10.73c, October, 10.08c, March. 10.49c, July. 10.78c, November, 9.02c, April. 10.57c, August, 10.82c, The reduction in the Bank of England rate of discount this morning affected favorably the London market for American securities, and though there were no foreign buying orders to speak of here, the influence extended to this market. The most perceptible effect was seen in the market for sterling, the rate for sight drafts being lower.

The continuance of the Reading strike, and the firmness evinced by Mr. Corbin at the conference he had yesterday with representatives of local interests along the line of the road, were seized upon by the bears as reasons for selling Reading. They also sold St. Paul, and made all the capital they could out of the unsettled condition of rates west of Chicago. The effect of those sales was not important, and after the bears had hammered the market for an hour or so they paused to see what the outcome of their sales would be. A dull market followed, with firmness quite as conspicuous as the inactivity. The late trading was more animated, and at advancing prices. The reduction in the Bank of England rate

April 16. Canugust 15. 20c December 17 10c. Raw sugars remained quiet at \$16c. for standard centrifugal and 5.5-16c. for fair refining Caba. Refined sugars are duil and barely steady; crusied, 86.85c; granulated and powdered, 75.675c; soft white, 66.95c. Molasses in steady demand at 37.642, for New Orleans. Saice by auction, 500 baxes Fortica oranges, 51.025c6

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METALS—Ungot copper was active, being freely offered;
sales 700,000 ms., mainly for February delivery; opening
at 10.50c, rising to 18.08c, and dropping to 10.45c.; also
some at 18.50c, on the spoi and for January, 18.70c; 18.08c,
for March, and 18.80c; 10.85c, for April. Sales of other
metals included 32 tons leaf for January at 4.55c, and
16 tons spelter for January at 54c.
Navab rooras—Spirite turpectine dull and nominal at
425(c. Rosin steady at 51.10 to 51.15 for common to
good strained.
Physicisty—Crude certificates not so active, but prices
advanced: opening at 805(c), selling at 805(2)37c., and
closing at 805(4)3905(c); sales 3,484,000 bbls.

Live Stock Market.

New York. Thursday, Jan. 12.—No market for beeves: only I car load received. Dull for dressed beef at dight, # 5. for poor to prime sides. Exports: 870 beeves and 1.48 quarters of beef. Cable advices from Liverpool to-day quots American steers steady at 114,62126. \$ \$ \$ for the dressed weight, sinking the offsi; and American refrigerator beef quiet at the, # \$ \$. for reals, and the standard of t

Court Calendars This Day.

Peace on Earth

Awaits that countless army of martyrs whose ranks are constantly recruited from the victims of nervousness and nervous diseases. The price of the boon is a systematic course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the finest and most genial of tonic nervines, pursued with reasonable persistence. Easier, pleasanter, and safer this than to swash the victualling department with pseudo tonics alcoholic, or the reverse, beef extracts, nerve foods, narcotics, sedatives, and poisons in disguise. "Tired Nature's sweet restorer, balmy sleep." is the provideu-Nature's sweet restorer, balmy sicep. In the product that recuperant of weak nerves, and this giverious franchise being usually the consequences of sound digestion and increased vigor, the great stomachic which insures both in productive also of ropose at the required time. See unrefreshed awakens the individual who uses it but vigorous, clear headed, and tranquil. Use the Bitters also is force and agus, rhounsation, kidney troubles, continuity, and billinguages.

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Business Motices.

Men's Mand-Sewed Shoes of French calf.

DAMROSCH—MOSENTHAL.—On Tuesday, Jan. 10, at the residence of the bride's parents, lietty, daughter of liermann Mosenthal, to Frank II seen of the late Dr. Leopold Damrosch, all of New York on the late Dr. HARBECK—LESEI E.—On Tuesday evening, Jan. 10, by the Rev. Dr. Kettell, Howard Barbeck to Millie U. by the Rev. Dr. Rottell, Howard Leseur.
Leseur.
WADE-WRNTWORTH.—On Jan. 11. at the residence of the bride's uncie. John Dougherry, 2008 Madison av., by the Rev. N. Gregory Lines, Mary M., daughter of the late John R. L. Wade, to L. Roger Wentworth of Boston.

DIED. ARENT.—Of scarlet fever, Ann (Nan), aced 7 years and 2 days, only daughter of Anthony and Ann Arent, and early grandsauther of lastin Koyser.

BURDETT.—On Trued W. Earlington the residence of her mother. 129 Leximeton av., Brookivin, Relen Louiss, wildow of Affred E. Burdett and daughter of the issue R. McCarty of New York.

CLARKE.—On Jan. 10, E. Willis Clarke, aged 3R. Finieral from St. James's Church, Madison av. and 71st si., to-day, at 10 A. M.

Boston, Philadelphia, and London papers please copy. CREGAS.—On Wednesday, Jan. 11, Lawrence Cregan, native of county Meath, Ireland, in the 41st year of his age. Funeral from the residence of his mother, 211 Green-point av., Greenpoint, L. L., to-day, at 3 F. M. Relatives and friends of the family and those of his sister-in-law, Mary A. Roylan, are invited to attend. HOPPER.—On Wednesday, Jan. 11, Edward Hopper, Jr., in the 42d year of his age, after a short lilness. Funeral on Saturday, 12 M., at his late residence, 11th

Fineral on Saturday, 12 M., at his late residence, 11th av and 1/2/4 st, city.

KLAPPERT.—On Jan. 11, William Klappert, in his 384

Year.

Funeral from his late residence, 328 East 35th st., today, art 20 clocks August 170m as late residence, 328 hast 25th St., to-day, at 2 Octock.

LEVY.—On Wednesday, Jan. 11, Hannah Levy, in the Sith year of her age.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral to-day, at 10 o'clock, from her late residence, 57 Av. B., city.

Mottisk ER.—Catharine Agnes, dearly beloved wife of Refatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral to-day, at 10 o'clock, from her late residence, 87 Av. B. city.

MattOSKER.—Catharine Agnes, dearly beloved wife of Michael McCosker, at her late residence, 100 East 50th at.

Funeral to-day, at 1 P. M.

MetiEE.—On Wednesday, Jan. 11, at his late residence, 818 West 130th at. Thomas McGice, aged 44 years, native of Florencecourt, county Fermanach, Ireland.

The relatives and triends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence to-day, at 1 P. M.

Interment in Calvary Centerry.

O'DUNGHUE.—On Threaday morning at 110 Lee av., Brookley, Emma Matilda 60 bonohue.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from Sis. Felex and Faul's Church, Wythe Michael McCommittee and Frontiers.

PROS.—Jan. 10, Tromas Peck, at his late residence, 464 West Jahl at. New York.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral to-day, at 2 P. M.

PUTNAM.—In Brooklyn, on Jan. 11, of paralysis, J. D. P. Pittum asset 79 years.

Funeral to-day, at 2 P. M., from his late residence, 231 Monyoes at., Brooklyn, Beatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

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Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral
from 398 Henry st. on Friday, Jan. 13, 1888, at 10:30
A. M. M. OLSTON.—On Wednesday, Jan. 11, Mary J., widow of

ROJ.STON.—On Wednesday, Jan. 11, Nary J., Widow of John Rolston.
Funeral services at her late residence, 701 Greenwick at the sevening, at a o'clock.
SCHULZ—Suddenly, at his residence, 121 Hudoon st., Hoboken, N. J., Albert Schulz, in his 57th Fear.
Funeral will take place to-day at 12 o'clock.
WARBUITON.—On Tuesday, Jan. 10, 1888, at his late residence, 42 East 41st st., in this city, of pneumonia, Adolphas P. Warburton, in the Gill year of his age.
Refatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at the Church of the Holy Trinity, Madison av. and 42st st., on Friday, Jan. 19, at 10 A. M.

Special Motices. FIFTH AVENUE ART GALLERIES, 366 STH AV.

NOW ON FREE EXHIBITION, DAY AND EVENING. A SUPERB COLLECTION OF VERNIS MARTIN. MARQUETERIE, AND CARVED

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200 JTH AVENUE.
SALE THIS PRIDAY, JAN. 13, AT 2 O'CLOCK. OF THE DUVAL COLLECTION OF CHINESE AND JAPANESE PORCELAINS, POTTERIES, OLD BRONZES, LACQUERS, JADES, IVORIES, SWORDS, JAPANESE BOOKS ILLUSTRATED, &c., FINE SINGLE COLOR PIECES. CHOICE BLUE AND WHITE CABINET STANDS. &c.
This is a private collection of a
well-known French collector,

and will be sold by auction under direction of 8. BING, 220 5th av. "MRS. WINSLOW'S Soothing Syrup" is the

Financial. JOUSTON AND TEXAS CENTRAL

RAILWAY REORGANIZATION. RAILWAY REORGANIZATION.

The agreement for the reorganization of the Houston and Texas Central Railway Company is now ready for distribution and signature. The holders of the several classes of bonds of said railway company are invited to deposit the same thereunder immediately with the undersigned, the Furchasing Trustee named in said agreement, at its office, M Wall St. New York, and may make such deposit UF TO AND ENCLUBENCY FEES. 18. 1888. Negotiable certificates will be issued therefor upon such deposit. Helders of the First Mortgage Bonds will also receive a bonus of fity dollars in cash upon each bond so deposited under and in pursuance to said agreement.

Dated NEWYORK, Jan. 4, 1888.

CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

By F. P. OLCOTT, President.

The undersigned, COMMITTEE OF THE HOLDERS OF CONSOLIDATED MORT. GAGE BONDS of the Houston and Texas Central Railway Company, have approved of the reorganization arreament above referred to after consolization with a large majority of the holders of said bonds, and now recommend the signing of said squrement and the deposit of their bands thereunder by all of the Consolidated Mortgage Hondholders. Under this agreement they will receive new diper cent. bonds in exchange, dellar for dollar, for the bonds new held by them, and Debesture Bonds guaranteed by the Southern Pacific Company for 75 per cent. of the interest accruing up to Oct. 1, 1857. Those got already familiar with the agreement can obtain full information upon application to the Central Trust Company, or to the undersigned, or to their counsel, Aimon Grodwin, Edg., 2 Wall st.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4, 1868.

ALBERT & ROBENBAUM.

ALBERT & ROBENBAUM,
WILLIAM H. FOMROY,
JOHN F. PATTERSON,
Committee of Consolidated Bondholders of Houston and
Texas Central Railway Co.

The undersigned, COMMITTEE OF GEN-ERAL MORTGAGE BONDHOLDERS of THAL MORTGAGE HONDHOLDERS of the Houston and Texas Central Railway Company, having approved of the reorganization agreement above referred to, hereby give notice thereof and that the same has been formally ratified by the holders of a large majority of these bounds.

Full particulars may be obtained of the Secretary of the committies or of any of the moments thereof. But the committee or of any of the moments thereof. But the same than the same with the same than the same t

CHAS. ROBINSON SMITH, Secretary,

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Fourth National Bank, Jan. 10, 1988,
thonal Bank, of the City of New York, Jan. 10, 1988,
thonal Bank, of the City of New York held this day, the
following named sentemen, were unanimonaly elected
directors for the emanling year.

FRIP'S MEAD,
CHARLES SMITH, BOSERT W. STUART,
CHARLES SMITH, B. B. YAYERWEATHER,
JOHN H. INMAN,
D. BALOWIN,
At a subsequent meeting of the directors, Mr. CORNELIUS N. BLISS Was elected President pro tom., and Mr.
BICHARD T. WILSON was allocated Vice-Freedent.

II. BUCKHOUT, Cashier.

MOORE & SCHLEY.

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